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STATEMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Commissioner:

In the Notice of Allowability issued on January 23, 2006, the Examiner indicated that claims 1-42, 44, 45, 47-52 and 54-60 were allowed. Applicant wishes to point out, however, that claim 50 has been canceled. Consequently, the allowed claim should be claims 1-42, 44, 45, 47-49, 51, 52 and 54-60.

Respectfully submitted,

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